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| X] Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. |
| riority is hereby claimed under 35 USC 119 by way of <u>Canadian</u> patent application [6. <u>2,415,584</u> filed <u>January 2, 2003</u> |
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SUBMISSION OF INCOMPLETE APPLICATION

Dear Sir:

Submitted herewith is a transmittal letter and accompanying patent application documents which are incomplete due to the omission of a Declaration and Power of Attorney. The Applicants are **Jinbo XU**, of 310 Westvale Dr., Waterloo, Ontario N2T 2M1 Canada, who is a Chinese citizen with Canadian Permanent Residence, and **Ming LI**, of 1231 Riverbank Way, Oakville, Ontario L6H 6X4 Canada, who is a Canadian citizen. Other details will be found on the transmittal letter.

Respectfully submitted,

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